commensurate with the utility of the data collected. If the Member wants any information regarding any particular Department, it could be furnished.

Supply of water to the lands from Hullahalli and Rampur Canals.

*Q.—508. Sri N. RACHAIAH (Nanjangud).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether they intend to supply water to the lands once in 10 days from the month of February 1965 from the Hullahalli and Rampur Canals in Nanjangud with a view to raise Ragi, Groundnut and Sugarcane crops by the ryots ;

(*b*) if so, the arrangements they have made in this behalf ?

A.—Sri S. NIJALINGAPPA (Chief Minister).—

(*a*) Yes. Water will be made available depending upon water supply position, only for growing Kar Ragi, Groundnut and Green Manure and not for Sugarcane.

(*b*) Water supply programme has already been notified and given publicity.

Supply of Irrigation Pumpsets in Bangalore Urban District.

*Q.—561. Sri J. SRINIVASA REDDY (Uttarahalli).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) the number of applications received by them during the last 3 years for the supply of Irrigation Pumpsets (Diesel and Electrical) in Bangalore Urban District (Talukwise information may be given) ;

(*b*) the number of applicants to whom the pumpsets have been supplied during the above said period and the number of them that have been given service ?

A.—Sri S. NIJALINGAPPA (Chief Minister).—

(*a*)—

For Diesel sets	Bangalore North	Bangalore South
1962—63	... 2	4
1963—64	... 6	8
1964—65	... 7	7
For Electrical sets		
1962—63	... 1	9
1963—64	... 153	191
1964—65	... 45	85

(*b*) 24 Diesel sets and 261 Electrical sets have been supplied; 130 Electric sets have been serviced.

Introduciug 'New Standard' in construction of new tanks and restoration works.

**Q.*—637. Sri ANDANIAH (Kunigal).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether it is not a fact that the Chief Engineer (General, has introduced a 'New Standard' in case of construction of new tanks) as well as restoration works;

(*b*) what are the guiding principles of this new standards;

(*c*) whether this 'New Standard' was approved by Government and if so, what would be the height, width, slope and type of revitment of the bund as per this 'New Standard'?

A.—Sri ALUR HANUMANTHAPPA (Deputy Minister for Minor Irrigation).—

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) Guiding principle of New Standards :—

Standards are meant to ensure economy and efficiency of structures. Therefore they are to be modified as per changing methods of construction of greater and greater knowledge of control over quality and construction materials.

(*c*) No. Reply to the latter part of the question does not arise.